Victimisation of BARC employees

4959. SHRI AIMADUDDIN AHMED KHAN (DURRU) : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) whether a number of employees of BARC have been victimized due to false charges of espionage;

(b) whether a number of employees of BARC have also been arbitrarily removed from the services on the same charges;

(c) if so, the number of such employees who have been removed from the service during the last three years, year-wise;

(d) whether Government contemplate to investigate the matter for the sake of justice;

(e) if so, the details thereof; and

(f) if not, the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ATOMIC ENERGY (SHRI SATYABRATA MOOKHERJEE) : (a) No such cases have occurred.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) to (f) Do not arise.

Atomic Reactor in Andhra Pradesh

4960. SHRI P. PRABHAKAR REDDY : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Bhabha Atomic Research Centre (BARC) has decided to set up an Atomic Reactor in the Andhra University Campus for facilitating frontline research in medical and agricultural fields;

(b) if so, the details thereof and by when the reactor is likely to be operational; and

(c) whether the reactor would also assist in the indigenous production of radio isotopes for treatment of cancer and also help in conducting archaeological research?